

- STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: DELAWARE

REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS UNDER  
THE AGE OF 21, 20, 19, AND 18

1. Individuals under age 18 who meet the requirements of, and are in receipt of benefits from, the General Assistance Program and who also meet all the requirements of the AFDC (Title IV-A) program except that they do not qualify as dependent children.
2. Children for whom the Department of Services for Children, Youth and their Families (DSCYF) has custody or consent to place and who:
  - a. have been removed from their own home and are in a medical facility for a temporary planning period prior to placement\*, and
  - b. meet the financial eligibility standards as established by the State Plan for Title IV-A.

\* The plan of care must specify that placement will be made in a home or facility that is approved by DSCYF for CHILD CARE (i.e., not medical or detention facilities), to which a public agency is making payments for the specified child's care. A home approved by DSCYF may be either with a relative or non-relative, as long as public funds are paying for the child's care.

3. Children who, at the time of their birth, are placed in the care of private agencies for the purpose of adoption, to be covered from the date of their birth until their placement with the prospective adoptive parent(s). These children meet the financial eligibility standards as established by the State Plan for Title IV-A.

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